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WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : MARCH, 1961

This preliminary statement of Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment for the month of March, 1961 will be followed by the usual Monthly Bulletin, which gives information in greater detail.

Monthly employment estimates shown in this statement are derived from the annual Census of Factories, monthly returns of Governmental Bodies, current monthly Pay-roll Tax returns and other direct collections. They relate to all civilian wage and salary earners except those engaged in rural industry and females in private domestic service. The figures are subject to revision.

TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES : AUSTRALIA

(Excluding Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestic and Defence Forces)
(Thousands)

	1960		1961	
	February	March	February	March
MALES				
In Private Employment	1,532.4	1,538.6	1,565.0	1,553.1
In Governmental Employment (a)	634.2	635.0	637.7	641.1
<u>Total in Civilian Employment</u>	2,166.6	2,173.6	2,202.7	2,194.2
Manufacturing (b)	894.6	898.4	905.1	897.4
Other Industries	1,272.0	1,275.2	1,297.6	1,296.8
FEMALES				
In Private Employment	697.3	702.5	718.8	713.4
In Governmental Employment (a)	148.6	149.5	155.7	156.2
<u>Total in Civilian Employment</u>	845.9	852.0	874.5	869.6
Manufacturing (b)	272.5	274.9	275.8	271.6
Other Industries	573.4	577.1	598.7	598.0
PERSONS				
In Private Employment	2,229.7	2,241.1	2,283.8	2,266.5
In Governmental Employment (a)	782.8	784.5	793.4	797.3
<u>Total in Civilian Employment</u>	3,012.5	3,025.6	3,077.2	3,063.8
Manufacturing (b)	1,167.1	1,173.3	1,180.9	1,169.0
Other Industries	1,845.4	1,852.3	1,896.3	1,894.8

(a) Includes all employees of Governmental Bodies (Commonwealth, State, Local and Semi-Governmental) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education, broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories and munitions establishments, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees, within Australia.

(b) Includes employees in industrial establishments outside the scope of the annual Factory Census and those employed by factory proprietors in selling and distribution, etc.

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